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2015-2019 Theme : Expanding the Kingdom of God (1Peter 1:3-2:10)

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<u>LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE</u>		<u>LAST WEEK'S OFFERING</u>		<u>CONVERSIONS</u>		<u>SUNDAY SCHOOL</u>	
Chinese (8:15 am):	121	General: \$	17,209	English:	English:	105	
Chinese (11:15 am):	163	Mission: \$	5,290	Cantonese:	Cantonese:	97	
English (9:45 am):	175	Maintenance:\$	700	Mandarin:	Mandarin:	48	
Mandarin (8:30 am):	27	Building: \$	200	Chinese Classes:		30	
Mandarin (11:15 am):	52	Other: \$	300	Children:			
Mandarin (3:15 pm):	14	Prayer Mtg:	46	STM:		189	
				Total:		251	

English Worship Service – September 10, 2017

9:45 A.M. – Main Sanctuary

Order of Worship

Praise & Offering	Worship Team
Announcements & Congregational Prayer	
Scripture	Matthew 22:36-40
Message	The Church Believes that God Speaks (Part 2) Pastor Kwan Chan
Response	Worship Team
Lord's Table	Rev. Patrick Lau
Benediction	Rev. Patrick Lau

Sermon Series: The Church Believes

Our beliefs shape our thoughts, attitudes, feelings, and ultimately, our actions. In this sermon series, we will be studying core beliefs of the Christian faith such as the Word of God, God's Triune nature, God's justice towards sin, God's grace, the Holy Spirit, and the Afterlife. Our aim is to root ourselves in sound Biblical doctrine so that we can live lives that are worthy of the calling to which we have been called by our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ.

Next Week: The Church Believes that God is Creator – Genesis 1-2
 Pastor Curtis Lai

Sermon Notes

The Church Believes that God Speaks (Part 2)

Big Idea: The Church believes that God's Word is Relevant and Necessary

1. The Purpose of the Law

2. The Command to Love

3. Love Your Unchurched Neighbour

I will respond to Jesus by...

1a. Praying for a greater desire to read and obey His Word
1b. Prayerfully reading and faithfully obeying His Word

2a. Praying for a greater love for God and for your neighbor
2b. Pursuing deeper relationships with those outside the church who do not yet know Jesus (and especially those who are unaware of His loving pursuit of them)

3. _____

Sunday School Classes

Intro. to Christianity (Q & A)

Room 102, first floor
Teacher: Andrew Lam

Open to all who are new to Christianity, seekers and newcomers who have any questions. Format is a flexible Q & A style.

Foundations - Baptism & Membership Class

Choir Room
Teacher: Deacon Minh Tran

The most important decision a person makes in life is the decision to trust in Jesus Christ as their Lord and Saviour. This class examines basic beliefs in areas such as the Trinity, Bible, salvation, baptism, the Lord's Supper, and the responsibilities of an individual believer. You will gain a better understanding of what it means to be a Christian and a Baptist church member. This class is suitable for new believers, and is required for baptismal candidates and for those who would like to become a member at NTCBC.

Systematic Theology

Adults, University & High School Students

Basement
Teacher: Pastor Kwan Chan

Wayne Grudem wrote, "Systematic Theology is any study that answers the question, 'What does the whole Bible teach us today?' about any given topic." Over the course of the next 16 weeks, we will be discovering what the Bible says about the Word of God, the Trinity, Sin, Faith, the Holy Spirit, the Afterlife, and other topics such as these. Students will be taught to study and organize Biblical Truths so that they can form clear Biblical explanations for key spiritual matters.

Junior High: Systematic Theology – 18 Words

Gr. 7 & Gr. 8

Room B1/B2
Teachers: Pastor Curtis Lai, Jeannette So

The ultimate goal of this systematic theology course is to provide students with a solid foundation of theological terms that will equip them for further Biblical studies in future Sunday School courses, as well as in their personal journey of spiritual maturity and Bible comprehension. More importantly, the underlying spiritual goal is to deepen the students' affections for God through gaining a greater understanding of His attributes and character, as well as the doctrines associated with Him.

Church Life

Sun Sunday School
11:15am-12:30pm (various classrooms)

Adult Fellowship
11:15am-12:30pm (Rooms 314/315/317)

Children's Worship Service
11:15am-12:30pm (Check-in on 3rd Floor)

Baptism Service
2:15pm-3:15pm (Main Sanctuary)

Mon Volleyball Skills Clinic
7:30pm-9:30pm (Gym)

Tues Men's Basketball
7:00pm-10:00pm (Gym)

Wed Prayer Meeting
8:00pm-9:00pm (Rm 306)

Children's Prayer Meeting
8:00pm-9:00pm (Library)

Thur Career Small Groups
7:30pm-9:45pm (3rd floor)

Fri Malachi High School Fellowship
7:30pm-9:45pm (Rm 302)

Timothy Junior High Fellowship
7:30pm-9:45pm (Rm 306)

Immanuel Career Small Group
8:00pm-10:00pm (Rm 311)

* contact information on the back of the bulletin

Community Announcements

Sunday Morning Time Changes

There will be some alterations on the schedule of NTCBC Worship Service and Sunday School started Sept 3:

Mandarin Morning Service	8:15 a.m.
Cantonese Adult Sunday School	9:45 a.m.
Mandarin Adult Sunday School	9:45 a.m.
Children Sunday School	9:45 a.m.
English Sunday School	11:15 a.m.
Children Worship Service	11:15 a.m.

Visit our Welcome Booth in the Foyer

If you are a newcomer or are unfamiliar with what is available at our church, please come by the welcome booth in the foyer after service and we will gladly give you more information to help direct you.

Sunday Adult Fellowship from 11:15am-12:30pm

For those who are currently attending a Small Group at NTCBC, there are opportunities for you to meet after service for a time of sharing, accountability, and prayer on the third floor (Rooms 314, 315, 317) from 11:15am-12:30pm.

Baptism Service @ 2:15pm

Join us as 4 brothers and sisters in Christ will give testimony of their trust in our Lord through the waters of baptism.

Baptism Candidates: Jennifer Chiu, Sherry Zhang, Rebecca Leung, Frankie Kwan

English Ministry Town Hall Slides Available Online

Go to www.ntcbc.org to download the slide deck from our town hall.

If you have additional questions, please email Derek Ma.

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Subscriptions can be done in person at the NTCBC office or through email to talk2ciec@ntcbc.ca with subject line: 'NTCBC Incorporation subscription'. Questions and comments can also be sent to that email.

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